

David's, and Rural Dean of Powyke, 1882. In 1886 he received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Edinburgh University; and was made Honorary Canon of Worcester Cathedral. He is the author of "Faith and Philosophy," and "Epitome of the Life of Our Saviour," 1867; "The Silver Bells," 1869; "Fra Angelico and other Poems," 1871; "Prayers for Every Hour," 1879; "Thoughts on Education," "Diocesan History of Worcester," "Aristotelianism," and "History of Christian Monasticism."

SMITH, The Hon. John Smalman, M.A., was born at The Chauntry, Shropshire, on Aug. 23, 1847, and is the eldest son of the late S. Pountney Smith, J.P. He was educated at Shrewsbury School, and St. John's College, Cambridge, where he took his M.A. degree. He was called to the Bar, Nov., 1872; went the Oxford Circuit; was appointed Puisne Judge in the Gold Coast Colony, 1883; Sole Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Lagos, 1886; Chief Justice of the Colony of Lagos, 1889. His Honour has published three editions of "How We Are Governed;" "County Courts;" "County Government;" and various works on legal subjects: *e.g.*, "The Law of Support in relation to Land, Mines, and Buildings;" "The Law of Fixtures and Dilapidations," &c.

SMITH, The Very Rev. Robert Payne, D.D., Dean of Canterbury, born in Gloucestershire, in Nov., 1818, was educated at Pembroke College, Oxford, of which he was scholar, and where he graduated, with second-class honours, in 1841, and obtained the Boden (Sanskrit) and the Pusey and Ellerton (Hebrew) University Scholarships. In the discharge of his duty as Under-Librarian of the Bodleian, he published, in a quarto volume, an elaborate Latin Catalogue of the Syriac MSS. belonging to that Library; has edited and translated the Commentary of St. Cyril of Alexandria upon the Gospel of St. Luke—extant only in Syriac—from the MSS. brought to this country by Archdeacon Tattam; and has translated the curious ecclesiastical history of John of Ephesus, in the same collection of MSS. Dr. Smith is engaged in preparing, for the Delegates of the Oxford Press, a Syriac Lexicon, based on that of Castelli, but a much larger work. The first part was published in 1868, and the ninth in 1892. One more part will complete the work. In 1869 he published a course of Bampton Lectures upon "Prophecy as a Preparation for Christ." He has contributed a

commentary on Jeremiah to the large work which appeared under the auspices of the late Speaker. He is also the writer of the commentary on Genesis in Bishop Ellicott's Commentary for English readers; of one on Isaiah in the commentary published by the S.P.C.K.; and of one on Samuel in the Pulpit Commentary. He was also a member of the Old Testament Revision Company. Dr. Smith was appointed, in Aug., 1865, to succeed Dr. Jacobson as Regius Professor of Divinity in the University of Oxford, on the advancement of the latter to the bishopric of Chester; and in Jan., 1871, was raised to the Deanery of Canterbury, vacant by the death of Dr. H. Alford.

SMITH, Thomas Roger, F.R.I.B.A., Professor of Architecture at University College, London, was born in 1830, and is the son of the Rev. Thomas Smith, of Sheffield, a well-known scholar and eloquent preacher. His mother was of Huguenot family, and was a granddaughter of Roubiliac the sculptor. He was articled to the late Samuel Beazley as an architect; and, on his death, to Mr. P. C. Hardwick, having as fellow-pupils Mr. (now Sir Arthur) Blomfield, Mr. Eastlake, and the late Mr. F. P. Cockerell. He travelled as an architectural student for about a year, and spent some time under Sir James Pennethorne before starting in practice in 1855. Since that time he has practised his profession continuously, and has designed and erected many public and private buildings of importance in London and the provinces. A design by him for the European Hospital, Bombay, was selected by the Government for execution. This led to his visiting India in 1865, and subsequently preparing, in co-operation with the architect to the Bombay Government, the plans from which several public buildings in that Presidency were erected. Among these were the Elphinstone College, the enlargement of the Cathedral, and (with modifications made on the spot) the Post Office, Bombay, the Government House at Gunnish Khind, and the Engineering College, Poonah. Professor Roger Smith is an Examiner in Architecture for the Science and Art Department, an Examiner under the Metropolitan Building Act of Candidates for the Office of District Surveyor, and in 1879 he was appointed Professor of Architecture in University College, London, in succession to Professor T. Hayter Lewis (resigned). He is the author of two or three manuals on subjects connected with his profession,